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In re Application of
Cameron M. L. Clokie
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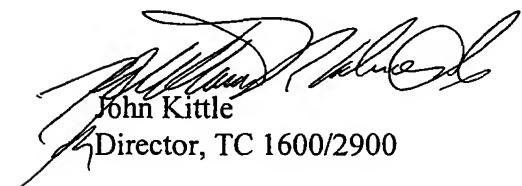
: PETITION TO MAKE SPECIAL

This is in response to applicants' petition filed July 27, 1998, to make the above-identified application special under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.102(c) based on the application being owned by a small biotechnology company.

Applicant has satisfied the provisions set forth in M.P.E.P. 708.02, XII. Therefor the petition is **GRANTED**.

The application will be forwarded to the examiner for action on the merits commensurate with this decision.

Should there be any questions with regard to this letter please contact William R. Dixon, Jr. by letter addressed to the Director, TC 1600/2900, Washington, DC 20231, or by telephone at (703) 308-3824 or by facsimile transmission at (703) 305-3599.



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CLOKIE, Cameron M.L.) Examiner: Not Yet
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For: REVERSE PHASE CONNECTIVE)
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PETITION TO MAKE SPECIAL AS SMALL ENTITY BIOTECH APPLICATION
IN ACCORDANCE WITH 19 O.G. 55 (JULY 19, 1988)

Assistant Commissioner of Patents
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Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions to make this application
special as a small entity biotech application, as described in
1092 Off. Gaz. Pat. Office 55-56, July 19, 1988. Applicant meets
the requirements set out in this announcement, as described in
the accompanying declaration of James M. DeMesa.

(1) GENSCI REGENERATION LABORATORIES, INC., is a small
entity as set forth in the enclosed Verified Statement
Establishing Small Entity Status;

(2) The subject matter of this patent application is a major asset of the small entity GENSCI REGENERATION LABORATORIES, INC.;

(3) Development of the technology in this patent application will be significantly impaired if examination of the application is delayed since it will be difficult to raise additional capital without greater certainty of patent rights.

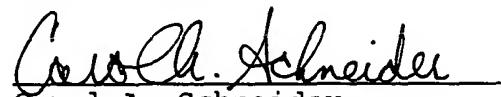
The appropriate filing fee of \$130.00, as per 37 C.F.R. §1.17(i), is included herewith.

No additional fee is believed due at this time. The Examiner is authorized to charge any additional fee due or refund any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 12-2475. If a telephone conference would, in any way, facilitate prosecution of the application, the Examiner is encouraged to contact the undersigned.

Date: 7/22/98

Respectfully submitted,

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